



**IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No. : 09/909,102 Confirmation No. 9991
 Applicants : Robert Duncan Doverspike
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 Group Art Unit : 2662
 Examiner : Brian S. Roberts
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 Title : Method for Selecting a Restoration Path in a Mesh Network

Mail Stop Amendment
 Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT AND ELECTION OF CLAIMS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 1, 2005 please amend the above-identified application as follows.